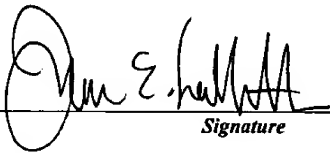


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. L7016.01121	
In Re Application Of: Shinji NAKANISHI, et al.				
Serial No. 09/889,170	Filing Date July 11, 2001	Examiner G. CANTELMO	Group Art Unit 1745	
Invention: LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY				
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>				
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>June 24, 2003</u> above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div>				
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"><div>from: <u>September 24, 2003</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div><div>until: <u>November 24, 2003</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div></div>				
The fee for the extension of time is \$420 and is to be paid as follows: <div style="margin-top: 10px;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-4375 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-4375</div>				
 <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Signature</div>			Dated: October 31, 2003	
James E. Ledbetter, Esq. Registration No. 28, 732 STEVENS, DAVIS, MILLER & MOSHER, LLP. 1615 L Street, NW, Suite 850 Washington, DC 20036 Tel.: 202.785.0100 Fax.: 202.408.5200			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; font-size: x-small;">I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px; font-size: x-small;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px; font-size: x-small;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div>	

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